

## Office of the National Ombudsman

## **Regulatory Fairness Hearing for Small Business**

July 20, 2006 San Diego, CA

Small business owners have an opportunity to discuss concerns about federal regulatory compliance and enforcement issues during this event sponsored by the U. S. Small Business Administration.

WHO: SBA National Ombudsman Nicholas Owens and members of SBA's Regulatory Fairness

Board for Region IX will meet with community leaders, members of trade and business associations, small business owners and invited members of the congressional delegation to discuss concerns about **federal regulatory compliance and enforcement** in the region.

**WHERE:** San Diego Unified Port District

Don L. Nay Port Administration Building

3165 Pacific Highway San Diego, CA 92101

WHEN: July 20, 2006

Registration: 8:30 a.m. – 9:00a.m. Hearing: 9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Small business owners may testify during the hearing by registering in advance. Contact Cynthia Harris of the SBA San Diego District Office at (619) 557-7250 x1155 or send an email to <a href="mailto:cynthia.harris@sba.gov">cynthia.harris@sba.gov</a>. Testimony may be submitted in writing in advance or at the hearing. Anyone desiring confidentiality may request that his or her name not be released and may submit written testimony in lieu of a public appearance at the hearing.

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